

(d) if so, the details thereof and the number of such multinational?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF P.J. KURIEN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) In keeping with the various schemes of liberalisation announced by the Government on 24th July, 1991 for attraction foreign investment in India and for rapid industrial growth, it has been decided to remove any restriction on the use of brand name/trade mark, whether foreign or Indian owned, in India provided these do not violate any statute, rules or regulations of this country.

(d) the use of trade mark is not subject to prior approval of the Government until and unless, in case of foreign owned trade mark, it involves any direct or indirect consideration or where the use of foreign owned trade mark has been restricted by the Government in any industrial or foreign collaboration approval. Since number of foreign owned trade marks are in use in India under these categories, it is not possible to indicate such details.

[Translation]

### Quantities of Foodgrains Allotted to Madhya Pradesh

4339. SHRI BARELAL JATAV: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the quantities of the main commodities allotted under public distribution system to Madhya Pradesh thereof; and

(b) the actual quantity of each commodities released during 1990-91;

(c) the actual quantity lifted by the Madhya Pradesh thereof; and

(d) the quantity allocated to Madhya Pradesh for 1991-92?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) to (c). The allocation to and lifting by the Government of Madhya Pradesh rice, wheat levy sugar, imported edible oil and kerosene under the Public Distribution system in 1990-91 is as under:-

(in 000' tonnes)

| Commodity              | Quantity   |         |
|------------------------|------------|---------|
|                        | Allocation | lifting |
| 1. Rice                | 278.0      | 172.0   |
| 2. Wheat               | 410.0      | 290.0   |
| 3. Levy Sugar          | 307.91     |         |
| 4. Imported edible oil | 36.50      | 19.76   |
| 5. Kerosene            | 381.03     | 377.56  |

\* lifting of levy sugar is nearly 100%

(d) The allocation of rice, wheat, levy sugar, imported edible oil and kerosene in 1991-92 (April-December, 1991) is as under:

(in 000 tonnes)

|    | Commodity           | Quantity allocated |
|----|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. | Rice                | 278.0              |
| 2. | Wheat               | 341.5              |
| 3. | Levy sugar          | 239.08             |
| 4. | Imported edible oil | 2.40               |
| 5. | Kerosene            | 280.15             |

[English]

**Supply of Essential Goods to Tamil Nadu**

4340. SHRI C.K. KUPPUSWAMY: Will

the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state

(a) the total quantum of foodgrains such as rice, sugar, wheat, pulses, kerosene supplied to Tamil Nadu this year upto October 1991;

(b) whether these are supplied every month regularly or on quarterly basis;

(c) whether the Government have revised the quantum of foodgrains supplies to this State due to recent cyclone; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUD-DIN AHMED): (a) The total quantity of rice, wheat, levy sugar, imported edible oils and kerosene allotted to and lifted by Tamil Nadu Government for Public Distribution System (PDS) from January, 1991 to October, 1991 is given below:-

| Commodity           | Total quantity (from January, 91 to October, 91 (In '000 tonnes) |          |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
|                     | Allocation                                                       | Lifting  |
| Rice                | 772.5                                                            | 745.7    |
| Wheat               | 300.0                                                            | 174.5    |
| Levy Sugar          | 232.32                                                           | .        |
| Imported edible Oil | 5.1                                                              | 5.1      |
| Kerosene            | 536.8                                                            | 322.2 ** |

Central Government does not allot pulses to the State Governments/UT Administrations.

(b) Allocation of essential commodities

under PDS is made on a month to month basis taking into account factors like demand from the States, availability of stocks in Central Pool, inter-se requirements of States, etc.